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HONGRONG, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28th, 1880.

[PRICE \$27 PER MONTH.

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December 26, Brisbane, British str., 891 J. A. Reddell, Sydney 3rd December, Townsville 8th, Cooktown 10th, Thursaday Island 12th, and Port Darwin 16th, Mails and General.-Gibb, Lavingston

December 26, Java, Dutch stenner, 1,035 J. de Riddler, Haiphong 22nd December, General - LANDSTEIN & Co. December 27, WELLE, German steamer, 396,

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DEPARTURES. December 27, Longardy, British steamer, For Shanghai. December 27, DIAMANTE, British steamer, Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial

for A mov. December 27, Hwat-yugn, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. December 27, Oyolors, Butish steamer, for Shanghui.

PASSENGERS

Per Brisbane, sir, from Sydney, Ac. Mr. and Mrs. Porrester, and 152 Chinese. Per Emmy, str., from Manila. -32 Chinese. Par Wells, str., from Haiphong and Herhow. -12 Chinese. Per Glaucis, str., from Foodbow.-Mr. Smith.

Por Java, str., from Haiphong.—Mr. J. dos Romedios.

REPORTS. The British Steamship Glaucus reports left Foothow on the 27th instant, and had moderate N. Easterly winds and fine weather.

The Dutch steamship Java reports left Haiphone on the 22nd justant, and had very think woather. On the morning of the 26th instant strong Northerly t. N.E. winds in the Tonking · Gulf, then moderate winds up the China Sea.

The British steamship Bristians reports left Sydney at 1 p.m. on the 3rd instant, and arrived. at Townsville at Ka,m. on the 3th, and left again at II a.m., and arrived off Cooktown on the 9th, and left again on the 10th; arrived in Thursday Island on the 12th, and left again on same day. and arrived in Port Darwin on the 15th, and left again at 2.30 p.m. on the 18th. Passed through Basillan Straits at 4 a.m. on the 22nd, and Mindor Straits at 4 a.m. on the 24th, and arrived in Hongkong at 9 p.m. on the 26th. Experienced moderate East and South-Easterly winds to Cooktown; thence to Port Darwin light Northerly winds and fine weather; thence to Basilden Straits light variable windsand rain; thence to Hongkong strong Nactherly and N.E. winds and fine weather. The Commun's stoumship. Ocean in Port Darwin .- Passed a steamer near | Torres Straits, bound East, on the evening of the 12th, and a stoumer like the Menmuir off South

SWATOW SHIPPING .. Dec mber —

end of Mindojo at 5. 65 p.m. on the 2/rd.

8. Octava. German steamer, from Shanguai. 8, Albay, British stsamer, from Hongkong. 10, Olympik, German steamer, from Shanghai. 10. Wenchow, British steamer, from Shanghai 11. Pokien, British steamer, from Hongkong. 11. Empress, British bark, from Chefoo. 12, Kwanglang, Brit. str., from Coast Ports. 12, Bombay, British steamer, from Shanghai. 13, Tientsin, British steamer, from Chofoo. 14, M. Lebanon, British seh., from Chefoo. 15 Namon, British stoomer, from Hongkong 15, Europe, British spenner, from Shonghai. 17. Yottung, British steamer, from flougkong. 18, Fokien, Brilish stoamer, from Coast Ports. 18, Miramar, British ste, from Shanghai. 19. Kwangtung, British atr, from Honghoug, NANTES, 20, Marie, Garman bork, from Chefoo. 21, Hankwang, Chinese str.; from Shanghai. 21, Sting shing, Chinese str., from Hongkong.

22, Albiy, British steamer, from Hongkong. December— DEPARTURES. 8, Names, British steamer, for Hongkong. 9. Cleveland, British steamer, for Hongkong. 9. Albay, British steamer, for Coast Ports. 10, N. Mondelli, British back, for Keeling. 10, Fokien, British steamer, for Coast Ports. 13, Kwangtung, British str., for Hongkong. 13. Atalanta, German steamer, for Hongkong. 13, Yeli-sin, Chinese steamer, from Shanghai. 14. Kepler, German bark, for Iloilo. 14. Wend ow, British steamer, for Shanghai.

15. Octava, therman steamer, for Singapore. 15. Hing shing, Chinese str., for Hongkong, 15. Bombay British steamor, for Shanghai. 15. Name, British steamer, for Coast Ports. 16. Mathiew, British bark, for Singapore, 16. Mario Lioniso, German-bark, for Singapore. 18. John Potts, British bark, for Japan. 18. Pokien, British steamer, for Hongkong. 18, Olympia, German stoumer; for Shanghai. 18. Europe, British steamer, for Shangesi.

18, Tientsin, British steamer, for Shanghai. 20. Kwangtung: British ste., for Coast Ports 20.) ottong, British steamer, for Hongkong. 21. Empress, British bark, for Keeling. 22, Glauncy, British schooner, for Keolung. 22, Albay, British steamer, for Coast Ports.

FOOCHOW SHIPPING. December ---ARRIVALS. 11. stagpie, British gunboat, from Amoy

12, Fokien, British steamer, from Hongkong. 12. Han-san, Chineso stoomer, from Shanghai. 15. Anchises, British Steamer, from Shanghai. 16, B. Aveiar, American bank, from Swatow. 16, Sin Nanzing, British str., from Shanghai. December DEPARTURES. 11, Newchwang, British Str., for Shanghai.

15. Monmair, British steamer, for Colonies. 15. Fokian, British steamer, for Hongkong. Hae-san: Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. 16. Anchises, British steamer, for London.

SHANGHAI SEEPPING.

ARRIVALA 16. Shanghai, Britigh steamer, from Hankow 16. Genkai Marue Japanoso str., from Japan. 17, Alex. Newton, Isrit, back, from Koelung. 17, Klangtong, Chinese str., from Hankows 17, Kiang-ching, Chinese str., from Hankow. 17. Weser, German bark, from Sydney. 18, W. C. de Vries, British str., from Hankow. 18. Stanfield, British bark, from Nagasaki.

18, F. H. Drews, German bark, from Cardiff. 13, Pym. British bark, Ironi Nagasaki. 1 Spirit of the Age, Brit, bk., from Hikong.
18. Lee-you, British brig, from Keelung. 18, Kelga, British bark, from Keelung. 20. Kinng-plan, Chinese str., from Hankow. 2). Full-wo, tritish sceamer, for Hankow.

21, Pokin, British stemper, from Hankow. 22. Taku, British steamer, from Tientsin. 22, Hiroshima Maru, Japan, str., from Japan. December - DEPARTURES.

16. Craiglands, British steamer, for Nagesaki. 16, Junius, British brig, for London. 18, Kinng-yong, Chinese str., for Hankow. 19, Spanghai British steamer, for Shanghai. 21, Hamau, Chinese steamer, for Chefoo.

21. Kinng-ching, Chinese str., for Hankow. 21. W. C. do Vries, British str., for Pankow. 21, Satsilein, British bark, for Hakodata 22, Fat choy, British steamer, for Hankow. 22. Full wo. British steamer, for Hankow. 22, Genkui Maru, Japanese sta., for Nagasaki. 22. Pokin, British steamer, for Hankow,

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MOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. TZ E L LY AND WALSH TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, LEX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. " CYCLOPS."

> CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from Captain Larrinaga, will be desputched for the the Undersigned not later than the 5th above Port TO.DAY, the 28th instant, at January for shipment per steamer "JASON." Four P.M. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, a6th Docomber, 1880.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer ".CYCLOPS' are bereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of

the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 25th December, 1880. Goods undelivered after the list December, 1880, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 26th Becember, 1880. AUSTRO HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM VE THE Company's Steamship NAVIGATION COMPANY.

AND SINGAPORE. WHE Company's Steamship having arrived from the above Ports, Consignoek

with the exception of Opena, are being landed of Hif Steamship at their risk into Messes. MEYER & Co.'s Wanchai Godowas, who nee delicary may be obtained Consignees wishing to receive their Gods on the wharf are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods DAYLIGHT, instead of as previously advertised have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 4th proximo will be subject to rest. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co., CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "KENMURE CASTLE." Luck, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo, including Cargo per Steamers Colifornia and Alsetia, from New York, are hereby informed that the Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, whonce delivery may be obtained.

FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

SINGA PORE.

. Consigners wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon -No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 31st instant will be subject to reut. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 24th December, 1880. STEAMSHIP "ANADYR."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

-MARITIMES: CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship from London, in connection with the above Steamer; are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be, Optional Cargo win by londing intimation is received from the Consignees be-[1533] fore FOUR P.M. TO-DAY, requesting it to be

> Goods remaining unclaimed after FRIDAY, the 31st instant, av Noon, will be subject to wary, 1881. rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 24th December, 1880.

ATOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Bills of Luding will be countersigned by the

landed here.

Undersigned.

STEAMSHIP "SUMIDA-MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOROHAMA. CONSIGNEES of CARGO by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 21st December, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense

[429] and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected. MITSU BISHI MAIL S.S. CO., No. 50A, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 20th December, 1880. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

> landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Yellow Metal, from London. J (in diamond), 173/4, 181/53, Order, 5 Cases Cottons, from London. AEM, Order, 245 Bags Sharp Stones, from

to the undersigned for countersignature, and

THINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

DEBENTURE LOAN FOR \$300,000. COUPONS for INTEREST falling due on 31st December, 1880, will be PAID, on presentation at, the Office of the Hongkong and SHANGHAL BANKING COMPONATION, Hongkeng, on and after that date. ... JARDINE MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1880.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned have been appointed Solo I TENDERS will be received at this Office up Agents for the Sale of their Goods in L. till Noon of TUESDAY, 4th January, Hongkong and China by Messrs, J. & R. TEN- 1881, for REPAIRS to the ROOF of VERAN-NEST, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID CORSAR & DAH of Deputy Inspector-General's Residence, at the Royal Naval Huspital, according to Specification and Conditions, to be seen on Applica-130 Ition to the Undersigned. The lowest or any Tender will not be necessarily accepted.

GEORGE COLES, for Naval Storekeeper. Hongkong, 21st December, 1880. G. FALCONER AND CO., SATATON AND CHRONOMET MANUFACTURERS AND JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS, to Article 107 of the Articles of Association of AND ROOKS. No. 46, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. FINE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED. The TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will by CLOS, D from the 27th to the Blst

instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. Ja BRADLEE SMITH, ____Secretary. Hougkong, 18th December, 1280,

INTIMATIONS.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT) THE Spanish Steamer

"SALVADORA."

For Freight or Passage, apply to-Hongkoug, 27th December, 1880. FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY. FITHE. Sparish Steamer

Cantain Blatten, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 28th instant, at Piye r.M. instead of me previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 27th December, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

FIVE P.M. TO.DAY, the 28th instant. For Freight or Passago, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 28th December, 1880. of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

> "NAMOA," Captain Westoly, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW: the 29th inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

 $\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{F}}$ ents.

Hongkong, 28th December, 1890 FOR MANILA. THE Steamship . "DIAMANTE," Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above

Port on FRIDAY, the 31st instant, at Four

o'Clock Flat. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 28th December, 1880. TTONGKONG FLOWER SHOW. The ANNUAL EXHIBITION of the HONGKONG HORSTOULSURAL SOCIETY will be held on THUKSD Y and FRIDAY, the 17th

and 18th February, 1881. Schedules of Prizes our be had on application CHARLES FORD. Hoporary Secretary Hongkong, 28th December, 1880. -

A FEW POUNDS of VERY FINE and FRESH SPANISH GRAPES. LANE CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 28th December, 1880. TORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO.

A FINAL DIVIDEND for the year 1879, being a Return to CONTRIBUTING SHARE-HOLDERS of FIVE PER CENT. (5 %) on the net Premiums, is now declared. WARRANTS will be PAYABLE at the Hend-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after WEDNESDAY, the 5th proxime, nutil which date the TRANSFER BOOKS of the

By Order of the Court of Dimeters,

COMPANY are CLOSED.

Shanghai, 21st December, 1880. NOTICE. THE Undermentioned Insurance Offices will CLOSE on SATURDAY, the 1st Jan-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agenta Canton Insurance Office;

General Agents, Hongkong Fire Insurance

Company, Limited. N. J. EDE. Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton. R. D. STARREY. Acting Agent, North China Insurance Company. RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Yangtse Insurance Association. B. GOLDSMITH.

China Trailers' Insurance Company, Limited: J. BRADLEE SMITH, Chinese Insurance Company, Limited. JAMES B. COUGHTRIE. Secretary;

China Fire Insurance Company, Limited.

Acting Secretary.

NEW YEAR HOLIDAY. THE Undermentioned Banks will be CLOSED on SATURDAY, the 1st January, 1881. CONSIGNEES of the following Carro are For the OBIENTAL BANK CORPORATION; requested to send in their Bills of Lading R. INNES. Pro Manager.

Hongkong, 27th December, 1881.

take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA. JOHN THURBURN, Munager, Hongkong. -IF (W in triangle) GS, 1/30, Order, 30 Cases For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS. TRALIA, AND CHINA. WILLIAM FORREST, Manager, Hongkong. For the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS,

> T. JACKSON. Chief Menager. Hongkong, 24th December, 1880. NOTICE. T ADIES and Gentlemen and the Public in general of Hongkong and the Coast Ports are respectfully reminded that the Undersigned is glways ready to supply best quality of NEW

FRENCH STORES, such as PRESERVES,

WINES, SPIRITS, LIQUEURS of the finest

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E. SCHWEBLIN,

Acting Agent, Hongkong.

Europe. At the same time he tenders thanks to his Customers for past favours and support, tegether with the compliments of the season. F. VINCENOT. No. 4. Peel Street, Hongkong... Hongkong, 24th December, 1880. THIRE RONGKONG AND WHAMPOA

DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is boreby given that an EXTRAOR. DINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the above-named Company, No. 14, Praya Central. Victoria, Honglong, on FRIDAY, the 31st day [1959 of December, 1880, at THERE o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of passing Special Resolutions to authorise the Directors to purchase the Dock, Goodwill, Plant, Property, and Stockin Trade of the Cosmopolitan Deck Com-pany, Limited, and to determine in what manner payment for the same shall be made, pursuant

> the said Compuny. Dated Hongkong, the 20th December, 1880. By Order of the Board of Directors, " - D. GILLIES, Secretary. TONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM-

PANY, LIMITED, The TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 21st instant until the 4th proximo, both days included.

A. NEWTON.

Longkong, 10th December, 1880.

NOTICE.

TITH the English Mail Edition of the " DAILY PRESS" will be published a GRATIS SUPPLE. MENT, containing a FULL and VERBA-TIM REPORT of the Inquiry into the Stranding of the "IRON DORE," a REPORT of the VICTORIA REGATTA. and the Cornespondence relating to the Nordenskiöld Testimonial: The PAPER will also contain the Inquiry into the Loss of the Steemer "Douglas," the Naval Regatta, the Distribution of Prizes at the Hongkong Public School, and ALL THE NEWS of the FORTNIGHT.

ORDERS for EXTRA Copies should he forwarded EARLY to prevent disap-

pointment.

"DAILY PRESS" Office, 24th Décember, 1880.

 for insertion in THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY

NOTICE.

Terms can be learnt on application.

For 1381

DAILY PRESS" Office, Hongkong, 28th December, 1880,

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Norreg.-To avoid delay in the execution of mother was insensible. Some of the other Orders it is particularly requested that all immates administered medicine to the deceased, business communications be addressed to the Firm, A. S. Warson and Co., or

HONGKONG DISPENSARY, [31 good health and had scarcely ever suffered from NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications on Editorial matters should be cause of deceased's death, she had not seen her addressed "The Editor," and those on business "The I take anything during the day to cause death, -Manager," and not to individuals by name. Correspondents are requested to forward their name and address with communications addressed to the Mditor, not for publication, but as evidence . good

Advertisements which are not ordered for a fixe poriod will be continued until countermanded. All letters for publication should be written on one same evening she returned in company of de. Winning the toss on Friday, the Club sent in also a quantity of oil the prisoner had, as the by five South Sea Islanders, and reports that his side of the paper only.

HONGKONG, DECEMBER 28TR, 1880.

on the 12th instant in the Inland Sea, Japan, certainly points a moral if it does not adorn eighty tons, recently launched, was on her of that. when a fire was discovered to have broken out the ready succour, and those on board could be themselves into the water, one after another,

souls could be saved. This event took place the Central Station, and from there to the hos- Travers, whose bowling seemed very difficult, acin calm weather, and at no great distance pital, where on arrival she was pronounced to be counted for the remainder, his analysis showing his father. from land. The owner and captain were both among the sixty-four who perished, so they cannot be brought to account for the un-

to darry sixty passengers, when it possessed

the fire would probably not have occurred had

a European engineer been in charge, or at all

the Chinese steamers and gunboats were re-

placed by Chinese, there would speedily be a

number of disasters to record. The Chinese are

notoriously reckless in the use of fire, and

in this respect appear to have started run-

ning alone a little prematurely, though we

such a proceeding: The Japanese Autho-

to the numerous small passenger steamers

plying between different ports on the coast,

and see that they are properly provided with

boats and live-raving apparatus, if they do

not insist upon the employment of one Euro-

pean on board. This is not the first disaster

of the kind, if we recollect aright, and it must

A mail for Bangkok closes at Singapore

The telegraphic announcement of the resigna-

tion of the Marquis of Ripon has since been

The Spanish gunboat Marques del Duero.

Commander Don Lobe, was towed to the Kow-

loon Dock vesterday, for painting and revairs.

carrots, turning, beet, celery, and salads,

-London and China Express.

The following telegram has been received by

Messrs, Kwok Acheony and Sons :- 'Bomb

Rombay, formerly belonging to the P. and O

Mr. Ewok Acheeng and has for some years past

been employed in the coast trade, principally be-

tween this port and Swatow. Latterly she has

been running between here and Shanghai: It is

believed the Bombay was barned on the 25th

that date. No further particulars have yet come

INQUESTS.

Hospital yesterday afternoon, before Mr. G. S.

Northcote, Acting Coroner, and the following

gentlemen as a jury, Messrs, C. Lange, E. Herbst,

where they only intended to remain one night.

She believed this was on the 24th instant, and

they-went-to-the-house-in-the-evening:—Shortly

after their arrival witness found that her

but without any effect, and she was then removed.

first to the Central Station and afterwards to

this hospital. Her mother had formerly enjoyed

any sickness. Witness said she was not the real daughter of the deceased, but was only an adopted

daughter. Se said she know nothing as to the

By the Jury-The house in Tung Man-Lane

Wong Asz, a widow, who resides in a house in

her daughter it was not understood that the child

had died, but that as she was not now in Hong.

Canton and only came here a few months ago.

Witness now explained that the word daughter

was not a brothel. Lemonade and soda water

were manufactured there.

An inquest was held at the Government Civil

The telegram was received at ten a.m. on

Company, was purchased from them by the late

three p.m., to-day, the 28th instant.

infullibly be followed by others unless due

are suitably found.

denied by Renter.

convenient to attend.

doubted rashness and negligence displayed. But the officials who allowed a steamer like that mistress, and she lived there. On the 22nd of easily disposed of. The following is the score: this month the witness went to live with a man only one small boat and no life buoys, and no named Kwok Achoy as his concubine, and she Mr. H. de C. Forbes, a Dun-Mr. A. R. Blandy, b Bridges, knew nothing more of the deceased after that Mr. H. Taylor, b Charley. Mr. A. R. Blandy, b Bridges. Mr. H. H. Taylor, b Charley. Mr. A. R. Trivers, a Reynolds. appliances for extinguishing fires, are certainly date. In September last she and her mistress Mr. J.C. Johnson, c Lane, b most culpable, and should be made to answer for their carelessness. As a matter of fact The house in Circular-pathway was a family Mr. W. Hynes, h Bridges...... 16 house and not a sly brothel. Decoused was the events it would soon have been checked. Confidence begets rashness in the Japanese or despised. It is much the same with the

witness's pocket mother, and had purchased her. Dr.w.r.Bridges, A.M.D. c Whyte, By the Coroner—When witness left the house Licut W S. Lane, R.A., c Newlogmind, and proper precautions are forgotten to let her go, as the man she went to live with Corporal Hutchinson, c Johnson, b promised to pay her \$100, but she believed he hir. F. Noel Clarke, lbw, Travers ... had only as yet paid \$50, and she, witness, was | Lieut. J. S. Charley, 27th, c Deine, Chinese, and we have no hesitation in asserting to give her other \$50 on the deed of sale being Lieut A. P. Yell, R.A., h Travers, b Dunman... that, if the European officers now in charge of made out. By the jury—The \$50 which deceased received | Lieut. J. J. Purdon, 27th, e Dean were paid to her on the day witness went to live

with the man who was making the purchase. Dr. Marques, Assistant Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital, said, deceased was brought to that establishment on the 24th of this us Chinese sailors would often sit up half month. She appears to have been about thirty the night gambling if allowed, it is easy to years of age, well nourished: The face, neck, and chest were congested as also the lungs. On see what risks would be run if they were examination the gums presented a white appearnot under control. Under native officers, lance, the usual signs of opium poisoning. whether in a merchantman or a man-of-war, found in the stomach about half a pint of a brown-coloured liquid which smelt like opium. the maintenance of any sort of discipline From all this I conclude that death resulted seems out of the question. The Japanese from an overdose of opium.

By the Jury-The quantity of opium found in deceased's stomach was sufficient to have caused death in about three hours. The person taking are glad to note the principal Japanese such a quantity of opium would be likely to be received at this Office up to the 30th steamship company is far too wise to risk come drowsy after about half an hour, and ulti-The first witness on being recalled, said she

> rities will now, perhaps, give more attention did not see any one pay deceased \$50, and if Chan Afat had paid that money she did not think her mother would have died. She did not know whether her mother had any money when she went to Tuny Man-lane. The jury after a short consultation returned a verdict to the effect that the death of the deceased was the result of opium poisoning, administered

> by herself while in a state of temporary insanity, A second inquiry was then opened before the Coroner and the same jury on the bodies of a woman named Yun Amoi, and a female child precautions are taken to see that the vessels about two years of age. Dr. Marques said the bodies were brought to

> > the hospital about half past five on Saturday evening. I examined them to-day at room, and found the skin of both hands of the woman was wrinkled. Her tongue was protruding, the mouth was, firmly contracted, and there was and appeared to be conducting the game. blood on the nose. There was no mark of violence on the body. I opened the body of the infent and found both lungs were of both feet and hands was wrinkled. The mouth

congested and filled with water. Further than this the body was in a healthy state. The skin was firmly closed. From the appearance of the We learn, through the courtesy of the Superial two bodies death was due to drowning. The endent of the Eastern Extension Telegraph | body of the woman was in a healthy state, and Company, that the Messageries Maritimes she appeared to have been nursing the child as fendant was conducting a gambling business for the Chinese Christmas, when neglecting to steamer Pei-ho, with the next French mail, left there was milk in the breasts. Chai Ayee, a barber, in Burd street, said he money from the bystanders and inviting them caught some strew and the flames spread rapidly Singapore for Hongkong, via Saigon, yesterday

child. He occupied a room in the basement of a by mistake. There will be a celebration of the Holy Com- house in Circular pathway. About half-past nunion at St. Paul's College Chapel on the three on the afternoon of the 25th instant he was morning of New Year's Day, Saturday, January | sent for to his shop to go to his house, where he 1st, at 8 o'clock. The Bishop will be glad to see | found all the inmates standing outside trembling. as many of the clergy and laity as can make it | He went inside but could not find either his wife or child. There is a well inside the house and l he heard a bubbling noise from it, and on making instant. We notice that the schedules for the Horti- an examination he found the cover had been recultural Exhibition to be held on the 17th and moved. He reported the matter to the police: 18th February have been issued. It includes and engaged two coolies, one of whom was nuts in his still in Square-street on Sunday The lost telegrams were replaced by duplicates and death-struggle ensued, long handled shovels fact that even then dark forms were flitting twenty classes for Chinese market gardeners lowered down the well and sent up the two first defendants were having forwarded from Amoy on the 14th instant, and being first used, and subsequently knives by through the deuse bash; and that epul eyeballs specially, and his Excellency the Governor will bodies, both quite dead. He had only gone a row in a house close by, and the third tried to the senders of the combatants. Ah See was engaged were flashing at the thought of gotting the white give a special medal and money prize for the best to live in that house on the 23rd, and he pacify them, with three gardeners, when the fourth one, men's heads as soon as the camp was silenced in collection, raised by Chinese, of foreign vege- went there because his wife was mad and circumstances, that the two beligerents joined started seven years ago this is the first time a rob- | named Awah, went to the hut and armed him- | sleep. Canoes had followed, the boat, and when tables, such as potatos, cabbages, heans, peas, he was afraid she would fall from the window of in an assauit upon him, during which his stall his former residence which was on the floor above | was upset and broken, and nutsto the value of | it will not occur again. the shop. She had been twice sent to the Tung | ten cents were lost. The total damage amounted A telegram has been received at St. Peters. Wah Hospital for treatment, where she slightly to sixty cents. burg, dated from Urga, the 1st instant, stating recovered. He intended to have taken her there - The first defendant said that he was in liquor; that during the spring and summer of this year again but she refused to go. She had often shown the second, that he had not done any harm; and Co., whilst plying between hore and Shui Kow one in the neck from a knife. Seeing that Aung the water. Venton was told off to look after the Colonel Projevals y surveyed a part of the basin signs of being silly, but at the beginning of the the third that he had been besten. of the Upper Khuan Khei and the late Khuk yearshe because much worse.

jevalsky states that during the expedition he trasucceeded in obtaining valuable scientific results. bad arrived he missed the two deceased. He to be the more injured party, was discharged. then went to his brother's shop and called him to come to the house. burnt, Woosung. Nothing saved." The steamer Witness detailed the steps taken to search the

house and the finding of the bodies in the well which correborated the evidence given by the The well in the house was always kept covered, but be is not sure if it was so when he went to

call the chair. There was no one in the house at this time, the other inmates were at the door The jury returned a verdict that the woman drowned berself and the child while in an unscupd state of mind.

BASE BALL MATCH

A match at base ball was played vesterday afternoon between a picked nine from the U.S.S and F. Panizza, on the body of a Chinese female. Alert and the steamer Oceanic against the Hong. named Chan Akwai. Chow Achai, the daughter kong Cricket Club, resulting in favour of the of the deceased, said that she and her mother came latter by the score of 23 to 9. The Cricket Club from Canton about four months ago, and they had | being more in practice with the ball, though resided in a brothel since that time. Some days | naturally enough deficient in knowledge of the ago the brothel was put up to auction and they i reles, were much too strong for the Americans. removed to another house in Tung-Man-lane, mixits as they were some of their best players. We subjoin the score :--

"ALERT" & "OCBANIC." CRICKET CLUB. Hynes-1.f. 3 Rassell-3b.1 8 Travers-1h. 2 3 Bishop-1.f.....2 Mills-8.8.1 Forbes—c. 2 Charley—3b. 4 Jerome—1b......1 McCann-e.....1 Foss-e.f.3 2 Pardon-25.3 Harlow-2b,1 Behumann—c.f. ...0 Tomes-p. 2 Garrett-r.f.1 St. Croix-8.5. ...2 4 Anderson-p.1 Total 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th Towar Scoror - F. C. Biog. Umpire—J. F. Luby.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB V. THE GARRISON. Tung Man-Lane, the number of which she did not know, said that deceased was her consin. On the morning of the 24th instant last witness day last and resulted in a disastrous defeat for the catmeal was the property of that firm. came to ber house and took breakfast there. The the Garrison, who lost by an innings and 65 rans. Ng Akam, the butler, identified the meul, as ceased and they requested permission to remain Forbes and Taylor to face the trundling of property of his employers. ness asked deceased if she would like to wash, these being Christmas times, the fielder dropped but she got no reply and her eyes seemed to the ball, a mistake the Garrison paid dearly for, be staring in an unusual manner and she ap- as afterwards he played remarkably well, his. The lamentable catastrophe which occurred her body without having any effect, and the Taylor really must appear again in these torday morning.

> no other persons in the room the deceased occupied | feventites for a canter. Johnson, who succeeded | complained of when he only means to play her. The doctor, who one month, appeared about this time, quickly finished off the By the Coroner-She was unable to say whe- Secretary and Blandy, but Veitch was much more

pocket daughter, as she had resided all her life in from Charley, who bowled well throughout disposed of the last two men with the acore at 202. The first innings of the Garrison was a snocession of disasters for them, although it must be only meant a prostitute. Deceased was the mis- fairly claimed that the Club took advantage of When at length, through some accident the door of house No. 21 he found the decessed poral Hutolinson was batting very freely until

quite dead. He searched the room in which do the remarkable result of 8 wickets for 15 runs. seased had lived and no traces of opium were to Being 150 runs behind a follow on was neces: eary, but with the exception of Bridges and Purdon Chan Afat, the missing daughter, said she had no one made a stand, and the Club were left winformerly been a prostitute in the Yun Heung | ners. The eleven of the Garrison, though hardly | morning. brothel. She did not know who was the pro- se strong all round as the Club, were worth many prietress of the brothel, but deceased was here more runs, and on another occasion would not be so

Sergt. Major Reynolds, R.A., notout 0 b Johnson.............. Lieut, J. L. Armitage, b Travers. 0 c Travers, b Forbes......

LATEST TELEGRAMS REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

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London, December 23rd GREECE AND THE POWERS. The Greek Government has declined to submit to arbitration. RESIGNATION OF THE VICEROY OF

The Times, in a leading article, announces that Lord Ripon has resigned.

> POLICE COURT. 27th December.

BEFORE THE HON. M. S. TONNOCHY.

~ 'STREET GAMBLING Ho Ayan, a coolis, was charged with gambling at raising her will have to be abandoned. a the public streets vesterday morning. P.C. 313. Chan Asz, said that he was on duty of the wind and waves, by degrees. vesterday morning at seven o'clock on the Prays Central, and that he found a number of men gambling there. Defendant was amongst them seeing the constable the whole party made off minus of the line at the City end is to be in a and the defendant alone was arrested.

Defendant said he was only looking on. Sentenced to he exposed in the stocks at the been done away with. scene of the offence for two hours.

soned with hard labour for fourteen days.

FIGHTING AND CREATING A DISTURBANCE.

STREET GAMBLING coolies, were charged with gambling in the street | have the matter referred to the Chief Justice of on the 26th instant.

two defendants conducting a game of fan-tan in of a purely political, and not a legal question, D'Aguillar-street. ran up against him and knocked him down, and can be proved, as hinted, of course the seizure, he was arrested.

The first defendant was ordered to be exposed in the stocks for six hours, and the second for

BEFORE THE HON. No CHOY.

UNLAWFUL POSSEDSION. on the 24th instant.... the defendant carrying the wood on the Praya. count of its possession he arrested him. planks from the chief officer of a ship. A con- six boxes human remains belonging to Chinese. prisonment with hard labour.

indeay with stealing a tin of datment on the of old copper, horse shoes, and glass. 26th instant. Sunday morning. Ho had a basket in his hand. it was found that he was employed as assistant | Herald:-This match was played on Friday and Satur- cook at Mesure. Lane and Crawford's, and that

A TASTE FOR CATMEAL.

bad no place in which to live. Shortly after the amployed putting on some finishing touches in and that he collected the things gradually. ment, the remainder to be with hard labour.

wrapped about his neck.

since returned.

Defendant was handed over to the oustody of LARCENY OF OLOTHING.

Defendant, it appeared, took advantage of the absence of the other inmates of the house to decamp with the clothes, but fate having directed otherwise, he fell into the hands of the police and. the clothing was identified by one of his fellow

residents of the place. In his defence the prisoner said he had only taken the things to borrow them. His Worship ordered him to be imprisoned for see emboldened by the impunity with which they cance was beached, and Coughlan seeing a numperiod of six weeks, the first and last fourteen have been allowed to commit so many outrages, ber of natives on the beach-he estimates their days to be in solitary confinement, the remainder with hard labour.

Wong Ahing, a seaman, unemployed, was

charged with the largery of two choppers and two ladles on the 25th instant, Prisoner pleaded guilty, and also admitted three previous convictions, two of which were in the present year. Sentence, six months' imprisonment with hard labour, and to be exposed in the stocks at the scene of the offence for two hours.

A SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER. being in the Sai Wan Dock for the purpose of Chambard, Naudin, Taulong, Folloau, with Ben- and so open hostilities were waived in favour of committing a felony; as also with being in pos- nett (an African negro), and two who joined the an attempt to decoy the Englishmen to their session of a deadly weapon, he not being the party at one of the islands, and whose names we death. "Come in! Come in! Cance come in und holder of a night pass.

The case was remanded till this morning.

FOOCHOW.

Choong of the Chinese Imperial Navy, has received instructions to proceed at once to Canton to take command of the entire flast of the Vice-

roy's gunboats on that station. steamer Douglas, lately wrecked in the Haitan victims. Straits has sank in the mud, whereon she lies, eight feet; and it is surmised that all attempts vessel seems to be breaking up from the action

The new telegraph line from Sharp Peak and leading into the City is rapidly approaching completion, but the instruments requists for operating thereon have not yet been set up. The ter-Joss house in close proximity to the Governor-General's Yamen. The terminus at Nantai has

A fire broke out in a small village in the Li Apo, a watchman, was also charged with subarbs of the City on Monday night last, the of stores. gambling in the Recreation Ground on Sunday 20th instant, and three very large houses were burned to the ground. It seems that the ocon-This was a very similar case to the last. De- nants of one of the houses were making cakes assisted by another man who was collecting look after them, some of the embers of the fire recognised the bodies as those of his wife and to gamble. In defence he said he was arrested Owing to the promptness of the Mandarins and some foreign fire engines, the flames were got that shove mentioned. No lives were lost.

Tong Ayan, and Leung Ayin, two chair application being refused, the Consul desired to P.C. 190, An Fing Piu, said hi was engaged latter's decision thereon. The Chinese Authogamblers, on the 26th instant. He found the proposition, setting forth that the matter being the affair should be referred to the High Authowould, in that case be legally justifiable.—Herald.

COOKTOWN.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

The steamer Somerset left here for Port Dar-Ching Akau, a coolie, appeared on a charge of win and Hongkong on the 1st ultimo, taking being in the unlawful possession of two planks | nine Europeans and 138 (hinese passengers for ribs an inch and a quarter in width and yards away, when the moon was once more Port Darwin and 57 Chinese for Hongkong. She P.C. 667, Surutten Singh, said that he saw also took a freight-182 bags beche-de-mer and 1.4100zs, gold. The steamer Meningir, which and as he was unable to give a satisfactory ac- left on the 15th, took one passenger for Port | body near the wound, and found a wound be had gone down. His next danger was from Darwin and 57 for Hongkong. As freight she in the back part of the stomach and under the the sharks, which literally swarm round those Defendant now said that he had received the have 23 bags beche-de-mer, 2,10 loss, gold, and left lobe of the-liver. The body was then opened reefs. At one time no less than three backfins viction of unlawful possession was recorded The steamer Thales arrived here from Hongkong in the back had penetrated through the stomach over growing closer, which precedes a rush; but against the prisoner in 1878, and he was now and Port Darwin on the 19th and left on the fined in the sum of \$2, in default, six days' im. 20th for the South, after discharging 230 tons There were no other marks of violence on the after an eight-hours' swim, he landed on a small cargo. The Meath left on the 21st for Hongkong with 29 Chinese passengers. She took 89 | was conveyed to the hospital, and is progressing | king of the tribe adjoining the murderers', and Mak Akun, a cook, was charged by Inspector bags beche-de-mer, 60 boxes soap, and a quantity favourably. Ah Wah appeared before the P.M. Savage rested there in safety during a heavy

The Inspector said he met the defendant in of October was £4,726 12s. 5d. The Palmer Gold. Queen's-road Central at half-past five o'clock on | field revenue for the same period was £165 as. 6d. Our beone de mer trade has been somewhat reand in the basket there was the tin produced tarded, this last month through the horrible which was half full of catmeal. He said he murders that have taken place at New Guinea. lived at Man Choi, but on enquiries being made | The following is the account as given by the

Captain Frier, late of the Vibelia, arrived in workings on the Palmer. the harbour about 11 o'clock on Saturday night, Nov. 20th, in a very frail looking craft manned latter end of the month from your port.

vessel struck on a rock in the Louisaide Archithere for the night as they intended to go to Charley and Bennott; the doctor, who it was Defendant said that he had not been here long pelago, opposite Bramble Pass, at midnight on look well. The tin mines will be able to com- a hut gave him fish and and some kind of bread Canton next morning, and in the mean time they intended should operate at one end, being busily and he did not know the custom of Hongkong, the 2nd September. He managed to get her off mence work again. Sales of beche-de-mer re- On Sunday night the chief returned and tabooed and keep her affect for a day and night, but was ported this week have been 712 owt., averaging him, and—next best thing—gave him a pipe, evening meal, of which the decessed did not par- another place. Forbes immediately began hitting. To be imprisoned for three weeks, the first and ultimately compelled to heach her on Kalonma-from £80 to £101 per ton, erew escaped to land and succeeded in saving a hourly and will have to remain here for coal, as a round to Barranago Bay, and all the males in portion of the cargo consisting of the usual sailing vessel which left Nowcastle for this port | the tribe, about 500 men and boys, assembled for Fung Achik, a rice pounder, was charged with articles of trade, and of cobra, jute, and beche. with coal for her has been lost, so that a steamer a grand council. Savage was in the centre, and peared to be insensible. Ginger was rubbed on driving in particular being clean and hard, assaulting one Chan Apui, a latring keeper, yes. de-mer. Leaving the bulk of his crew here, has been chartered to bring fuel from Sydney. Captain Frier, with five men, proceeded in a matter was then reported to the police authorities stockings with which he was wont to delight It appeared that complainant, while cooking boat to Teste Island, which he reached on the lith, and leaves for Hongkong the same he could not obtain, since to every question the who removed her from the house. Deceased our eyes, as he does not look like, nor does he his morning meal, left the care of his business to like nor does he li said she had lost a daughter a few days ago and play like our old friend the "barn-door" without his daughter, a girl about nine years of ago, and native mission teacher, that a portion of the here for some time and are well worth seeing, Afterwards this man became more communicative, a tale. A small Japanese steamer, of some witness thought that she was annoyed on account them. If he is waiting for the new colour which that the prisoner attempted to take advantage of native crew of the schooner Annie Books; of this they being a very clever company, have made and confided to him that he was quite safe now, the Sporting Times says is called "Vin de Cham. the child and tried to avoid the payment of what port, had returned to the island with the terrible arrangements to go in the Thales." By the Coroner-There was no opium found | pagne Mousseau" out of compliment to it, well and | was a just and proper claim. Complainant in | news that all her crew, consisting of seven Euro. passage from Osaka to Shimonoseki, carrying near the deceased's bed, and she was unable to good, but let him hurry up with his "Pink'uns," terfored in the interests of his business, with peans and seven Chinese, had been murdored at Sixtypassangers and a crew of twenty-two men. say if the deceased had taken any. There were and in the meantime pull out a few of the cold the result that defendant committed the assault the Island of Mewstone by Brocker Islanders, on or about the 6th September; and that the party although there are two families living in the Taylor, played in very good style for his runs; Defendant had made an appearance before the of French Naturalists' who left Cooktown about in the coal bunkers. The heat speedily be- house. She had known the decessed since child- but Danman was not "on the job," as, after a Magistrate for a breach of the laws laid down eight months ago, had also been murdered, either hood. She was not aware if deceased owed any disappointing display, he steered one into short for the good and weal, of the general public so, by the same or another party of natives on the ing account of the massacre of the Commander one money. The deceased seemed to be in good slip's hands. Newington did much better, and late as October last, and he was now flued in the 12th October at Moresby Island. The Annie and five of the crew of H.M.S. Sandfly :played a fine not-out innings, his hitting, when sum of \$2, in default, to be imprisoned for seven Rooks was destroyed by fire and hatchets, and Intense excitement was felt in mercantile and By the Jury-When deceased said she had lost | he did hit, being hard and effective, but we would days, and also to enter into a recognisance with | the poor Frenchmen's boat dashed to pieces, the shipping circles on the 29th November when it like to see a little more wrist and determination two sureties in \$10 to be of good behaviour for cargoss of both being strewed on the beach or became known that H.M.S. Sandfly had arrived captain expected to escape observation there. east into the sas. The former had nearly 30 tons from the Solomon Islands, that the commander The murderers sought him in vain that night, of beche-de-mer on board, and the latter had a and five of her crew had been killed by the natives but next morning they paddled all round the Tsoi Akong, a servant unemployed, was charged freight of valuable emithological and betauical at a small island of the Seloma Group, and that island, and seeing him in the tree, lauded and specimens. It would appear from the meagre one man had been wounded. From Mr. Brad. shot him twice through the body with the rifles Inspector Lindsay said he found defendant in sources of information which were available, that ford, noting sub-lieutenant, Mr. Conghlan, the they had taken from the boat. He dropped to an empty house in Cilman's Bazarabout eleven both parties were surprised and butchored some of boatswain, and Savage, a seamon, the latter being the earth, and then a series of nameless horrors o'clock on the date named. He had a cloth them in their touts, without a chance of making the sole survivor of the massacre, we have been ensued. When found his body was naked, lead any defence. From Teste Island Captain Frier enabled to glean full details of a foul outrage, less, and divested of the right arm, and great Defendant's father, who described himself as coasted to the Aroma coast of New Guinea, wherehe the latest of hundreds which have made British pieces of flesh were stripped from the back. The sherr by those on the pursuing sternier to throw tressof a brothel in Canton, and also in Hongkong, every chance offered, Bridges being nearly a doctor, said that his son had been insane for succeeded in purchasing from the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once; the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once; the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once; the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once; the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once; the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once; the mission teacher seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once the seamen and traders abbor the Solomon Group :— men who were bathing had been clubbed at once the seamen and traders abbor the seamen and traders about the seamen and traders abbor the seamen and traders about the seamen a P.C. No. 8, George F. Canningham said that snapped at the wicket, and Charley and Purdon the past twelve months. He last saw him on the remains of the just Ni Noe-Ney, formerly be. On Wednesday, October 13th, the Sandfly Paterson, taken from behind, had shared the about eleven o'clock on the night of the 24th cleverly taken at point by Deans, whose great the accenteenth or eighteenth of this month longing to this town, which had been captured being anchored at Tesemboko, Limitenant Com. same fate; but Venton, who had time to seize a instant he went to Tung Man lane, and outside length of reach stood him in good stead. Cor- when he chinese and seven of his crew murdered, mander Bower left in the whaleboat to survey boat-stretcher, fought hard for his life, as a mative as recorded in our issue of September 29th. She the east coast of Florida Island from Barranaga, afterwards admitted. "One man very strong, to her machinery, the burning ship stopped in a chair. She was then insensible, but her a hard but lefty hit to long on was well. Defendant said his father had beaten him and bad been allowed to drift along the coast for intending to be back on the 18th. With him he said the interpreter to Savage "plenty fight." body was warm. Her mouth was open, and on judged and taken by Johnson. Forbes got the he went down stairs and on the scene of the massacre, and took a crew of five men; Francis Savago, A.B. The attacking party thought Savago drowned of the

navigation, in reaching Cooktown in his non- John O'Niel, Southwork, London, A.B. Tang Pin, a coolie, was charged with stealing | he met only with fine weather. While at Kalou- | returning, and on the 20th the acheoner weighted fourarticles of clothing, consisting of three jackets | ma Captain Frier's party were nearly surprised anchor, and made for the east coast, Mr. Brudand a waistcoat, from a coolie house on Sunday by some 800 or 400 Brooker Islanders (probably ford sending the gig round one side, and going Books' crew and the Frenchmen) but the search might be made. The gig was commanded

and his small party had many narrow escapes | coast of Florida Island, a cance was noticed from being swamped, and also from attacks by coming off from the coast, but as the gig neared the putives, who several times tried to allure him | it, the four men in the island eraft rowed for ashore. He reports that the natives have become the shore, closely pursued by the gig., The that they now threaten to murder every white number at 150-halted the gig without beaching man and destroy every vessel which touches on her, and open parley with the islanders. One of their coasts. At Juneus Bay, Moresby, the the occupants of the canos-a chief, whose name native missionary has been driven away, burely was afterwards found to be Billy—spoke a few oscaping with his life, and a chief of Aroma is words in the native tongue, and immediately the reported to have said of the late visit of H.M.'s peaceful-looking people on the beach appeared schooner Conflict, as translated by a native sea- armed with spears, and bows and arrows, and Engman. "No good come look jist like of wooman, lish tomahawks. It afterwards transpired that fraid come shore, next time catch him too, get | round a little promentory lurked two well-manned

did not ascertain.

docks, said that on Christmas evening he saw from the inhabitants to his Worship the Mayor, | Jack, an islander, who could speak pidgin Engdefendant and two other men not in custody, which was largely attended and the following lish. "I Jack, I saves Louis (Mr. Nixon, leaving the docks. He stopped them and asked resolutions were carried unanimously :-- (1) That Master of the schooner Pacific), you saved what business they had there. Their only reply this meeting, viewing with horror and indigra. Louis?" said this worthy. "Yos," answered was that they had come to visit the premises. I tion the fearful atrodities which have been com- Coughlan. "Boat gone to island, all same Save," Defendant had a knife in his hand which he said mitted on the coast of Now, Guinea, calls upon rejoined Jack, "five fellow car, six fellow men he used in cutting vegetables. The other two the Government of Queensland to use its in- |-alluding to the commander and his crow. men ran away; one of them carried a lantern fluence in causing just and immediate punish. | Coughlan knew that this was the Sandfly's boat Defendant said that he and two friends were That in the opinion of this meeting it is ne- news. They then went to East Island, then crossing the bridge when he was arrested. He cessary for the protection of life and property lalong the coast, where in the evening they saw aid he had been outting vegetables. c that a permanent naval force should be stationed many fires burning and where they flushed We are informed that Captain Liu Kock which is of great commercial value to all the Coughlan with two men-all well armed, and on

> Line, gave a Sacred Concert aided by our local sole survivor. It may be stated that Mr. Coughlan talent on Sunday evening, the 20th ultime, for touched at Nogu Island, and searched it the benefit of the widows and orphans of those | thoroughly. He saw the naked headless bedies who were lately massacred. Everything passed of the missing crew, but they were laked black off well, and about £20 was taken at the doors. Mudden were burnt to the ground on the morning of Sunday, the 29th ultime, and about £9,000 sured for £5.000. There being no water available,

punish the massacres of the Sandfly crew.

without loss of time visited the garden in which by little until he was opposite the scene of the the fight took place, where the murdered man's massacre. The savages had piled up the fire lit body was found, and a post-mortem examination to make tea, and wore duncing and abouting held by Mr. Marshall. There were on the right | round it, when the clouds broke, and a burst of hip two wounds about four inches apart, and moonlight showed Savage. With a yell, his about an inch and a quarter in width. There foes manned two or three canoes and purshed was also a wound on the back of the body him. Savage swam for his life, but his pur-

on the left side between the ninth and tenth sners drew up until they were only some fifty

Court to be holden at Cooktown:

ANOTHER MASSACRE IN THE SOUTH SEA ISLANDS.

The Sydney Morning Herald gives the whow.

succeeded by nailing and patching and careful William Poterson, Bolfast, Iroland, A.B.; and descript craft, but it was fortunate for him that | . The 17th, 18th, and 19th passed without their the same party who had murdered the Annie himself round the other, so that a thorough men of the Vibelia were too well prepared, by Mr. Coughlan and mauned by four seamen. and the savages did not venture to attack all being well armed, and the start was made them. While coasting in his boat the captain from East Point. When near the south-east war cances and that had the gig been beached her The names of the victims in the Annie Book | crew would have been riddled from front and rear are:—Foreman (captain), Purdle (part owner), with a shower of spears. Coughlan, however, Campbell, Hastings, Jeffreys, McRae, and Bust; was too cautious not to turn his gig's how sea-Man Aying, unemployed, was charged with and the unfortunate Frenchmen were :- MM. | ward, and to have his men ready for a skirmish. vou dome in." abouted Billy; and then added " I Inman Khan, a watchman employed at the Apublic meeting was held on a requisition speak." Some native words brought out one

ment to be inflicted upon the perpetrators. (2) and so pulled back to the ship with the on this coast: with more discretionary power lights and did everything that might possibly vested in Naval Commanders; that greater pro- attract the wanderers; and they noticed that the tection may be afforded to traders in their deal- | beach was literally alive with natives, dancing and ings with the natives, and, that if such protection | yelling like fiends. They reached Mboli Harbour could not be afforded, a source of employment at 1.30 a.m. an Thursday, and about eight o'clock Australian colonies must be adaptioned.—(Great | their guard—went on shore and made ouffee, but applause.) (3) That in the opinion of this meet. I none of the natives would own that they knew a ing it is desirable to inform the French Consul word of English. -The gig then went right round at Sydney of the general facts of the outrages, the island, and though Sandfly Passage—traced We learn that during the past two weeks the and that there were French subjects among the and named by Lieut. Bower—and so returned to the vessel, to find Savage on board, with the me-The Leftus Troup, which were here at the lanchely news of the massacre of which he was by the sun until they looked like natives and it The stores of Messrs. Power, Thomas, and was only when Savare told his story that the mon could manage to examine and identify them. When the whaleboot left the shin on October

worth of property was destroyed and was in- 13, her erew rowed to Seserga, where the captain took a sight; and there they staved that night. it was feared at one time that nearly the whole | Next morning they rowed to East Island, and side of the street would go, but there being little | camped there on Thursday night. Or Friday . or no wind the fire was confined to the one block | they pulled over to Lavinia Bay on the n bland, the apot where the terrible Lavinia massacro Wire from Sydney states that H.M. schooner | took place, and the men, answering the cunning Sandfly, whilst surveying off the Solomon Group, | questions of the natives, told them where they had Commander Bower and five seamen murdered | had slept the night before, thus letting them were by the natives. H.M.S. Emerald left Sydney to that they were away from the ship. From this moment their lives were in their hands, and all The following is an account of a murderous | that savage cunning could devise in an island fight between Chinese taken from the Palmer, group where a man's importance is reckoned by Chronicle:-An affray occurred in a Chinese the number of murdered enemies he can show, Fined \$5, in default of payment, to be impridued under before any further damage was done than | garden, situated not far from Jessop's, about uine | and where the head of every well-known trader, o'clock on Tuesday morning. November 9th, re- | has a price fixed upon it by the chiefs-was-set It is with regret that we have to inform our sulting in the murder of one Chinaman and the in motion to out off that boat's crew. The cap-José Pillayo, Ignacio Beltrao, and Charles readers that the Amoy Courier of the 13th in- Idangerous wounding of another. It appears that tain was on shore, but his men kept their fire-Anderson, seamen, were charged with fighting stant was assaulted and robbed of the whole of two Chinese diggers, named Ah Ung and Ah See arms ready, and he got safely on board; and and damaging property in Tank-lane on the 26th | the Mails near Chuen chow. The Native Author respectively, made an attempt to mine for gold kept along the coast, surveying, until he got to rities were immediately communicated with, and in a garden, but four of their countrymen, the Nogu Island, on Friday evening. Here they Lau Apui, the complainant in this case, said from what we can learn, strenuous efforts are compared the garden, resisted this, what they hauled the boat up and made tea, preparing to that he was engaged as a hawker selling ground- being made to capture and punish the offenders. | considered an intrusion on their property. | camp for the night, in utter ignorance of the bery has been committed on the line, and we hope self with a butcher's knife. Returning to the it landed the trackers stole wound to the other scene of the conflict, with this weapon he stab. | side of the island, and crept through the thickets. Rumours have, for some time past, been pre- bed Aung in the back. The unfortunate man to an ambush where they could be ready for a valent of the seizure of two launches running | walked two steps and fell. His mate, Asee, re- | surprise. The moment came soon enough. Carne under the agency of Messrs. George Harman & clived amongst other wounds a very dangerous and O'Neil got leave to bathe, and splashed into and although previously unauthenticated, after I was dead his murderer bolted, followed by they boat, to spread out the gear, and to dry it and The first and second were soch fined in the same receiving numerous warnings from the Chinese others. During the bloody contest, other Chi- boat; and Lieutenant Bower, with Savage and Hunor. He also passed through Alashan, in the centre of the Gobi Desert, to Urga. Colonel Present at the grant of the Gobi Desert, to Urga. Colonel Present at the combatants. Reports of the succentre of the Gobi Desert, to Urga. Colonel Present at the combatants. Reports of the encounter spread imprisonment — The Chiuese Authorties, it appears, the combatants. Reports of the encounter spread imprisonment — The United and while a Chinaman followed Awah and the man and then Paterson returned for something. Soon atternoon of the 25th she became worse and he amends to complainant or to undergo a further the opinion of Mr. Hayllar, Q.C., who supported who wounded Asse, in the pursuit carefully avoid, after, Savage heard yells, and, running back, he sent for a chair with the view of removing her to term of imprisonment for forty-sight hours with their views by referring to Articles XLVI. ing their observation, others came to town and saw a crowd of about fifty natives whirling the Tung Wah Hospital, but before the chair hard labour. The third defendant, who appeared and XLVII of the Tientsin Treaty of 1858. We gave information to the police. Awah and his round the boat, and more hurrying through the understand that H.B.M.'s Consul applied for the mate also came into Maytown. Senior-Constable bush. Returning to the captain, he shouted, "The restitution of the seized property, and upon such Johnson 'arrested the former in a store, but the boat's attacked;" and the captain, also returning latter who was in another store opposite escaped | to see the truth, was espied by the natives, six of by the back way, there being a creek a short dis- whom broke off and ran for him. He cried, H.B.M.'s Supreme Court of Shanghai, for the tance from the premises into the bod of which | "My God, Savage, it is a case!" and darted into he descended, the banks thus affording cover the bush. Savage saw no more of him, but subon special duty in plain clothes, to arrest street rities, however, have declined the Consul's under which he easily escaped, as there was no sequently learned that he had eluded pursuit by one in pursuit, Johnson being without assistance. climbing a tree. It was now between five and After looking up his prisoner, he made a search, six o'clock, just growing dusk, and the aky but it was fruitless. Chinese storekeepers have cloudy; and Savage, as he doubled, and sig-zag-First defendant said he had gone out to pur- rities at Peking. Such being the case, we pre- offered a reward for the capture of the runaway. In god through the thickets, which reach to the chase something to cook and he dropped some sume a cause celebre will ensue, when, if the quest reply to the charge, stated through an interpreter, water's edge, knew that his only chance of life cash out of his parse and while stooping to pick tion is parely as to the violation of limits of Fco. of the wilful murder of Ah Ung, the prisoner Ah was to get away from Negu; so, after a brief it up he was arrested. The second said that he chow as an open port of commerce, the question | Wah, whose wrist was cut and head bruised, | rest, he plunged into the son and struck out for met a lot of people in the street, some of whom can be easily settled, whereas, if another offence merely said "Yes." Sub-Inspector Brittan, a little idland near the mainland. The tide was accompanied by the P.M. and Mr. Marshall, strong, and as he got out he was swept back little

> seven and a half inches in depth. Its direct overcast, When next a gleam of moonlight came tion was from below inwards and upwards. the fugitive saw his pursuers far off, making-Mr. Marshall opened the back part of the back to their companions. The evidently thought in front, when it was discovered that the wound | were sweeping round him in that ominous curve. and into the under part of the lobe of the liver. he splashed faintly, and so kept them off until. body, which was ordered to be buried. All See uninhabited island. This was tabooed to the at the Police Court, on Thursday and Friday, storm which came on. Next day, on Saturday "The oustoms revenue at this port for the month on the charge of wilful murder, and, after evi- afternoon, he determined to get over to the maindence had been taken, was committed to take land, and so made a rough-and-ready raft and his trial at the next sittings of the Supreme paddled across. When he was about 500 yards from the shore two or three cances put off, and The Customs revenue for the month of No- the swimmer was taken on board and conveyed vember was 24,462 16s. 6d. It is reported that to land. The chief was away, but one of his the rush to the Coen has returned out a duffer captors who could speak English said it was "all and that the Chinese are returning to the old | right," and Savage, to his surprise, was taken to a fresh-water spring and bathed. Then be was The steamer Claverhouse is expected here the robbed of his flannel shirt, his sole remaining garment; but in exchange the English speaking We have had some very heavy showers of rain | native gave him a pair of trousers, a jacket, and this last week and the country is beginning to a hat-ordinary trade good-and taking him to tobacco, and matches. But on Monday Savage's The Union war steamer Atjet is expected life was once more in danger, for he was taken from looks and gestures, he could see that he The steamer Thales is expected from the South | was being spoken of; but definite information and would be kept until Louis (Captain, Nixon, of the Pacific) came along. The party then took to fishing with no less civilized amagent than dynamite which they knew perfectly how to use. The captive saw in their possession Suider rifles and plenty of ammunition .- The chief was one

the late of his companions. The tree into which Bower climbed was a very conspicuous one, situate near the shore, but the and the Tokic Maru lowered a boat to pick up learning to a something she left hander guarant two minds, and the prover- did not like to go home again after that he went the mail on the prover- did not like to go home again after that he went the minds, and the prover- did not like to go home again after that he went the minds and the prover- did not like to go home again after that he went the minds and the prover- did not like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the manual tracks of something the left hander granter and like to go home again after that he went the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like to go home again after the left hander granter and like the like to go home again after the left hander granter and like the like With rare perseverance and pluck Captain Frier A.L.; Alfred Carne, Southwark, London, A.B.; Sandly, though the interpreter said five men

Timbacora. The interpreter, who was Captain

Nixon's trading agent, gradually told Savage of

came so intense that they could not stop the engines, and as the vessel was about twenty | one money. Inc. to the house. miles from land, and possessed only one boat, the confusion soon became terrible. Yet if the engines could have been stopped, all on board | kong she, deceased, would return to Canton. might have been saved, for the steamer Tokio Maru having been attracted by sceing the ther the last witness was a real daughter or a obstinate. Travers made double figures; two bails with burglary on the 20th instant. flames, steamed to the aid of the unfortunates. But the doomed vessel sped on away from The missing daughter was then with ber. to escape the still more dreaded element.

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Island, which is shaped like a pear, the thick pertion wooded, and the stalk a bare sandspit. On this sandspit, visible a mile away, were two stakes | the rosy, merry, groups that may be found any luaring a crossbar, to which the headless hody of Venton was bound. The bicops muselo was cut through to the bone, and the wrists were stashed across; he was covered with tomahawk cuts, and the contraction of the fingers told what everyother country the childred of any community his death-agony bad been. It may have been that he was tortured before he died; he was the only ione who was able to strike a blow, and the only one whose body was so treated. Frittier on, lay the headless bodies of Carne and Paterson; and Japan, for example, diphtheria and searlet a little way in the bush Mr. Coughlandiscovered fever, the former being very unusual and never the captain's body, under the troumbere he was epidemic, the latter totally unknown. The shot. They buried the remains, read the Service langeturned to Noga for a rifle, left behind on to see if there were any signs of the whaleboat. All that they saw was a jamuar lying on the beach, and one of the men went for it. It proved to belong to Savage. They could not get the vessel into Rita Bay; and on Sunday, October 31, Mr. Bradford and his crow again pulled in, in the teeth of a heavy fire from concealed natives. They returned the fire, landed, discovered two water-casks and a tarpaulia belonging to the whaleboat, burned the village; and were just embacking when five was opened on them again. Robert Backle, A.B., was shot tarough the heart, and a seamon named. Whit book was wounded in Sandly weighed anchor for Sydney: of July of the present year at Sydney.

LATE AUSTRALIAN NEWS.

The Eastern and Australian Co.'s steamer Brisbanc, arrived here yesterday from Australian ports. From papers brought on by her we call the following items

QUEENSLAND. BEISBANE. November 23rd. Sir Arthur Kennedy arrived vesterday aftersons were present, and no guns were fired. December 1st. town, navigable for some miles.

to grow sugar and employ aboriginal labour, if The new drodge Octobus, built by Spellie and Co., of Brisbane, will be launched to morrow. She is the largest yessel yet built in the Southern Hemisphere:

NEW SOUTH WALES. ONE-MILE, December 1st. most extraordinary ernshing has taken place at the Golden Crown Company's mine at Gymple, 126 tons 17 cwt. of quartz has been reduced, giving an astonishing yield of 1,770 oz. 10 awt. 18 gr. of smelted gold. This gives o dividend of 6s. per scrip. The company's capital ia £20,000.

MELBOURNE. November 23rd. Sir Redmond Barry, Judge of the Victorian Supreme Court, died this morning at 6 o'clock. Although he had been unwell for a few days, still his death was quite unexpected. Sir Redmond Barry first became ill with a carbuncle in the neck on November 2nd, four lays after sen- bales waste silk, 72 pkgs. sundries. tencing Kelly to death. At first it was not thought serious, although painful, and the judge was confined to his house nearly ever since. He attended court on the 11th and 13th instant, and also attended a meeting of the Council of the University on the 15th. The carbuncle after this assumed immonse proportions, and the case became serious. Yesterday, however, deceased appeared much better, and the latest billetins last night were favourable. During the night, | On Paris.however, he collapsed, and died at six o'clock this morning. News of his Honour's decease o took the city by surprise. On every hand deep! regret is expressed. The courts are not sitting to day, as it is a public holiday. The city corporation flag and flags all over the city are halfmust. Deceased was one of the hardest-working and most conscientions of the four judges. During thirty years on the bench he only had one leave

SOUTH AUSTRALIA ADELAIDE, Movember 19th. It is feared that Captain Siminan, of the river steamer Ke medy, was drowned at Goolwa. During a thunderstorm about one o'clock yesterday. morning, he went off in a boat to see if the steamer and barges were all right, and has not since been Seen. The river is being dragged. Governor Sir William Jervois returned overland from Melbourne yesterday. Lady Jervois

returned by the steamer Cotopanithis morning. -November-20th-Terrific thunderstormatheve been experienced at several towns in South Australia. On Thursday morning a house between Riverton and Saddleworth was struck by lightning. The electric Sarrent struck a bedstead, on which two persons were sleeping, the current crossing the bars of the bed, and exploiting with a great noise, but fortunately the sleepers were uninjured.

HOME TELEGRAMS. London, November 20th.

The sculling contest for the Hop Bitters Co.'s prizes were brought to a close to-day on the Thames, when Elias Laycock, of Sydney, won the first prize, £300. The second prize, £300, was won by Wallace Ross, of New Brunswick; the third prize, £140, was won by George Hosmer, of America; and the fourth, £60, by Charles Smith, of the Thames. Laycock won by two lengths, from Ross, after a good raco. Hosmer and Smith had no show against Laycook and Ross. Laycock was the favourite at starting. The great sculling race between Trickett and Ross, for £200 a side, came off to-day on the Thames between Putney and Mortlake. The race was an ansatisfactory one. Shortly after the start a foul occurred between the two men, and after they separated Trickett went to the front and won easily. In consequence of the foul the referee decided that the race should be rowed over again on Saturday next,

London, November 24th. A large gathering of meinbers of the Fenian organisation has been held at Cork during the week. The object of the meeting was to prepare plans for the celebration of the anniversary of the execution of the so-called Manchester mortyrs, who suffered death for the murder of Sergeant Brett, and another constable, at Manchester. A number of the most prominent members of the gathering were arrested, and have been committed for trial. LONDON, November 29th.

A match between Laycock and Hanlan for the scalling championship of the world has been arranged; The race will take place early in January. The Hop Ditters Company has contributed £1.000 for the event, to be awarded to the winner. In consequence of this liberality, Hanlan has agreed that the stakes shall be £500 a side: The two men have gone into training. Lord Dufferin during his stay here has received certain instructions from the Government, and returns to his post at St. Petersburg authogized to arrange questions relating to Asia. The Rev. Mr. Enraght, a Ritualistic clergyman, of Boddersley, Warwickshire, has been sentenced to imprisonment for contempt, in refusing to obey the decision of the Court of Arches. Mr. Boycott, to whose aid the Orangemen went who recently visited Balliurobe, has quitted | Hour's Bain......

his residence there for England. LONDON, December 1st. The match between Hanlan and Laycock has been fixed to take place over the champion course on January 17th. All the money required has been raised, and the conditions of the match Callan has been convicted of libelling Sullivan.

"Sentonce postponed, with a view to an apology. A cargo of wool from Port Elizabeth for a Moscow firm has arrived at Odessa. The Novos . Vremya remarks in this connection that the last

Russia's raw products has now become a sub-

look of importation.

EDUCATION IN YOKOHAMA. Visitors to Yokohama, more especially those coming via India and China, are invariably impressed by the robust and healthful appearance of the children of foreign parents, now thank God; so numerous in Yokohama; Japan is indeed a children's paradise in many respects. The

climate, exhausting as it sometimes proves to their olders, as a rule agrees marvellously with European children, as it needs but a glance at fine afternoon in the Bluff gardens or on the Bund, to prove. The mortality among the children of Europeans in Yokohama is almost nothing, although, as is well known, in almost furnish the larger proportion of its death rate There are reasons for this beyond mere health. fulness of climate. Several diseases most fatal to children elsewhere are rare or unknown in olitef reason then, which compels European

over them, and then returned to Barranaco, the residents in India and China to separate themonly safe anchoragonear. On Saturday, Cough, solves from their children, so soon as the latter attain an age slightly beyond infancy, the preceding day; and on Sunday Mr. Bradford does not exist in Yokohama, while there are and eight men, well armed, went into Rita Bay even advantages to be gained by keeping our children here as long as possible. There is however, a cause enforcing such separation here almost as officient as that of climate further South, though the separation may be longer delayed. We allude to the want of proper facilities for the education of European children in anything beyond mere radiments. It is a fact that almost any Japanese youth, of the upper or middle classes, has infinitely better opportunities to acquire a round education, even in English. than are within the reach of the average child of European parentage, sprovided the latter remains in Japan. It seems to us that there the left fore-arm. On Monday, November 1, the is no sufficient reason for the existence of CCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE such a state of affairs. The number of European The Smally is a suffing source of 120 tons, children in the treaty ports of Japan is large and was paid off and recommissioned on the 1st and increasing, and is already, sufficient to afford lying support to at least one school of the better grade. A school must be a really good one, however, in order to fill the requirement of that class of our residents upon which it must chiefly depend for pupils. It should be competent to impart all branches of education usual up to the age of entering high or special schools, and have a stuff sufficient to guarantee thorough training in the leading European languages, the value

and necessity of which are perhaps even better appreciated here than at home. A school of the character here indicated would, upon Insurances effected with this Company, undoubtedly, finally succeed in Yokohama, and noon in a very quiet commor. Not a dozen per- might, after a time, attract pupils from the China ports; but its thorough establishment by purely private enterprise would, we fear, involve too long A party of six New Caledonian escapees arrived a time of weary waiting and struggle to allow us yesterday from Frazer's Island, after a passage of to hope for its speedy imaggaration by such means. 18 days, three of which they were without food. A combination among parents guaranteeing a certain number of pupils and retaining some con-Police. Sub-Inspector Fitzgerald reports the trol of the administration of the school, through discovery of a new river 16 miles north of Cook. a properly qualified committee selected from their own number, might do much to secure for our Mr. James Tyson, the well-known capitalist, community those educational advantages for our has taken up a selection of 1,50) acres on the children, the lack of which is so bitterly felt at Tully River, northward of Cardwoll, and intends | present.-Japan Mail.

The Citizen states that on the 2nd November the Commissioners of Sewers, on the recommendation of the Streets Committee, will be recommended to adopt the tenders of the Angle Americau, Electric Light Company (Brush system), | A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon of the Electric and Magnetic Light Company the Current Local Rates of Premia will be al-(Jablochkoff system), and of Messrs. Siemens lowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. Brothers, for lighting three large districts of the City of London, at a cost for twolve months

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. MONDAY, 27th December.

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Chinese Insurance Company—\$300 per share. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 138 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$900 per share. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$258

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Hongkong, 1st January, 1871. HE Al Honduran Bark . THINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED. Bollo, Master, will load liere for the above Port, HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. and will have quick despatch. Position of the Company at the close of the last For Freight, apply to . financial year, the 30th April, 1880. DAPITAL SUBSCRIBED \$1,000,000,000 THE A1 American Ship teserve Fund BALANCE UNDIVIDED \$70,278.4 DIVIDEND paid to Shareholders, 20 %, per \$70,278.43 Fellows. Master, will load here for the above Annum. Port, and will have quick despatch, DIVIDEND paid to ALL CONTRIBUTORS O

Business 25 % on the Amount of their -Contributions: The Company GRANTS POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the world, THE Al American Schooner Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE TO ALL. CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSINESS WHETHER THEY Brown, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. B. GOLDSMITH, Acting Secretary. 1827 Hongkong, 30th November, 1880

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THE Al German Bark "CIVIALE." Captain Nissen, will load here for the above orts, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

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THE PENINSTLAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "KASHGAR." Captain S. F. Cole, with Her On 30th just., at 3 P.M. Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY on WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, at Four P. M. Cargo will be received on board and Parcels

and Specie (Gold) at the Office until TEN A.M. on day of departure. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transshipped at Point de Galle; but Tea and General Cargo at Bombay, arriving one week later than: by the direct route via Galla. For further Particulars, apply to

A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th December, 1880. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY.

To morrow at Daylight TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES. MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE:

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dressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 37, Queon's Road Central. CHAS. H. HASWELL, JUN., Hongkong, 24th December, 1880.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ. ISMALIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES.

AND MARSEILLES; PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

AN WEDNESDAY, the 5th of January 1881, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "OXUS," Commandant RAPATEL, MAILS. PASSENGERS. SPECIE, Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-

don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon, and Carro will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 4th WEDNESDAYof January, 1881. (Parcels are not to be sent | 7 A.M.; Post Office opens."

Office.) Contents and value of Packages are all printed matter and patterns ceases. pany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1880.

NTOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTE Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-Hongkong Harbour:-

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COMPANY OF HAMBURG. THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pre- M. W. Boyd, Esq.

SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. PHIENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. TIROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon the Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed tributed among all Contributors of Business in Agents to the above Company at this proportion to the premia paid by them.

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against

RUSSELL Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

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DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Hougkong, 9th November, 1868, For practical purposes the arrangement of THE LONDON ASSURANCE. MAJERTY KING GEORGE THE PIRST. A.D. 1720.

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Hongkong, 26th July, 1872

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL The M. M. steamer Pei-ho. with the next French mail, left Singapore on the morning of the 27th December, and may be expected here. on the 4th January.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The two direct steamers, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the morning of the 18th

POST-OFFICE NOTICES:

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given below. A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Manila. - Per Salvadora, to-day, the 28th nstant, at 3.30 P.M. For Manila .- Per Gravith, to-day, the 28th instant, at 3.30 p.m. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Emuy, to-day, the 28th instant at 4.30 P.M. For Straits Settlements, Port Darwin, Cook. town, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, &c .- Per Meath, to-day, the 28th instant, at

For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.--Per Namoa, to-day, the 28th inst., at 5 P.M. For Straits Settlements and London .- Per Glaucus, to-day, the 28th instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow and Amoy.—Per Cheang Hock Kian, to-day, the 28th instant, at 5 P.M. For Japan, vin Nagasaki and Kobé.-Per Malacca, to day, the 28th instant, at 5 P.M. For Saigon .- Per Tunis, to morrow, the 29th instant, at 5 p.m. For Manila.-Per Diamante, on Friday, the Slat instant, at 3.30 P.M.

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to: order, under Section XII. of the Post Office Ordinance, 1876, that the Late Fee charged on gran Correspondence posted after certain hours for Europe, America, the Australian Colonies, Shanghai, &c., shall be 10 Cents, instead of 18

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET The British Contract Packet "KASHGAR will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon. India, Aden. Egypt., Malta, and Gibreltar. This is the best opportunity for forwarding Correspondence to Mauritius, E. Africa, the Cape, St. Holona, and Ascension N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the

kustralasian Colonios. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packets "OXUS" will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 5th January, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondicherry, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and | Gibraltar.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT . MATLS. THE ENGLISH MAIL .- DAY OF DEPARTURE. Noon, Money Order Office closes. 2 P.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

P.M., Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 3.30 r.m., when the Post Office closes entirely. VOGEL & Co. CARGO, will leave this Port for the above 3.40 P.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until

time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL. TUESDAY-5.P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

1866 on board; they must be left at the Agency's 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of .11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. For further particulars, apply at the Com- 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Foe of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.

11.40 A.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 18 Cents until time of departure. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN. class risks at current rates. MELCHERS & Co. Hougkong, 27th March: 1876.

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The year's new birth! Blow. Summer wind! When after days of drought and callen heat, Out of the heaped-up alouds there comes a sound Like ochoing fact ! While from the distance, beene on breezy wings,

The rain descending on the thirsty plain. Ita bointy thogs! Blow, Antumn wind! a

aAnd let thy roles tell to all drowsy hearts

Out on the yellow woods and stubble lands, Stir the brown brake and scatter thistledown With myrind hands! sleep after labour, after turmoil rest. By strongth and weakness, yea, by life and death, The world is blest!

Blow, Winter wind! Out o'er the tum Sling ser roll cloud and mist; Roar through bare branches, striking wizard notes "AVhere'er you list Driving the ships; soil is and out of all

Working God's will-who, from the frozon seas, Came at His call! Blow, Broath Divine! Dayond the depths of the ansounted host Bayond the givetic circle of the sky,

Come, Holy Chost! To ! listred, blasphemy, and sin aspire 📆 To raise their devil-thrones amid the gloom,

Yes! and the world is buried still in night, And foul and long thy watchmen ween in vain-Come, Living Light!

THE GRAVEDIGGER'S DAUGHTER. he was strolling along by the river racking lentirely with my finger. astonished at her beauty. The two young an instant." brious lask, and paid no attention to what a very considerable share of good looks. wound. Still the mystery increased. was going on at his side. In this he was Nothing but a purse and a handkerchief were

mian life, and happy by reason of the love of at Adams, who had said very little hitherto, see her." an honest man, although he had several mil- but had gone on making everything ready. -old companion. The treaty has been an I am going to operate." - nulled father and mother have been provided !for; Charles has been shipped off to South appreciated; and in a few days the blonde that the sharp end of a broken shaft had Anna will become the lawful wife of Mr. X. | made a narrow, deep gash in the root of the Here ends the first chapter of this romance neck, and had wounded a large artery. The of real life. The other day Anna appeared,

parents .- The Parisian. A REALLY GOOD CASE.

were passed. And now to my story.

down for the short Christmas vacation, and after dangers. I should have gone also, but was just the Adams carefully explained to the other "dresser" to Carver Smith, and could not bouse surgeons what assistance they would leave town; moreover, it was inf week of linge to give him; and when the patient was said, and his eyes rested on a pocket-handker. Chateaubrand what is perhaps but little understood by the reigned, broken only at intervals by a word general public, that a large part of the from the operator, but indeed he had little we tening and carefund a certain proportion need to speak, for we were well drilled at St. also of the treatment of hospital patients, Michael's, and everything he needed was put observer, the fur-sighted young surgeon, devolve upon assistants selected from the into hands almost before he asked for it. I famed for his diagnostic acumen, had seen tenior students. Some of the less important think I can still see that quiet, eager group through his case, but not through his patient. appointments, such as the "dresserships," of young men under the brilliant guelight, It turned out that the girl, being remarkably are held by every student in turn; but the standing around the pallid, slumbering, un- good-looking, and having acquired from a more responsible offices, some of which re- conscious girl; and in the centre the young previous situation in a nobleman's family a Anna quire twolve months' residence in the hos- suzgeon, coul, collected, with steady hand, very correct way of speaking and some very pital, can only be gained by a few men each without hurry, without hesitation, doing his ladyish manners, was found of dressing up ar. And for these appointments, which work. I have witnessed many of the most in her holidays and frequenting places of

was one of the highest ambitions of a "St. now. of the leading English surgeons.

they had any duty in the wards.

Wed, it was Christiads night, and our curiosity. work for the day was done, except some lated. After the operation she was at first too ill out of the way of temptation," and that she Onward ensualties that Christma's day produces. We for hysterical excitement.

We had a famous little programme. One a very critical state. As the auphonious or two of our residents could play and sing phrase of the young profession went, " She well; another had a curious facility in whist- had a very close shave for it." At the end ling to the plane; another was an amateur of three-weeler, however, she was in fairly ventriloquist and prestidigitateur; and Ifancy smooth water, and for the first time some of there were also some recitations and tableaux the clinical class went in with Sir Carver to come off. Also, there was one of the Smith to see the case. He had hitherto said patients, an old sailor, who could sing in a mothing on the subject of the operation. He grand, rich; stantorian baritone and bring was a man of few words; but one word of down the house- Our chairman - Adams, of praise or blame from him was never forgotton course-had just begun, and was delivering by any of us. Turning to us from the patient himself, in a semi-serious way of some very the said, "This gentlemen, is a case of so-and eloquent remarks, amidst great applause | so," and he briefly explained it. Then he for nothing pleases the lower classes better added; "Nothing but the most exceptional than a few oratorical flaurishes -- when "tinkle, circumstances could justify a house surgeon

Oh, ye lay mortals, ye little know how the tion is one of great difficulty and rarity. social and domestic joys of a medical man are have once, many years ago, performed it myat the mercy of a bell! We invite our friends | self, and the patient died. Had my patient to tea, we welcome them, and anticipate a recovered, such a recovery would then, I bepleasant evening, and-there goes the bell! lieve, have been without precedent. But the We come home fired and wet, change boots gratification to myself of having performed for slippers, and get comfortably by the fire- the first successful operation would not have side, and-there goes the bell: We turn into been greater than is my gratification now at bed on a cold night, and just get warm and having under my care a case which will,

snng, when-there goes the bell! My bell believe, recover, and whose recovery will be experiences began that night at St. Michael's, due, without doubt, to the prompt and skilland I shall not soon forget it. It was Sir Carver's " taking-in wook," and house surgeon, Mr. Adams." his assistants had to attend to the accidents. "Strong for Carvy, and good for Adams," Adams nodded to me, and off I went to in- was the general comment. Adams pretended

vestigate, knowing that it might be anything to be writing notes; but there was not one of from a cut finger to a railway smash. I us who would not really have suffered "plowfound a scene of considerable; excitement in ing" in our "final college" to gain such a the accident-room. Two policemen, sided by word from Carver Smith. a crossing-sweeper and a cabman, had just |. And now my fair readers; if you will turn brought in a patient, and some other specta- to the clinical report of the celebrated case tors had pushed their way in out of curiosity. in the pages of the Lancel, somewhere about "Just happened outside, sir; knocked March 18-, you will find it stated that "after down by a runaway cab, sir."

sir." Thus the policemen. "Ask Mr. Adams to come down at once, seventh day after admission." I therefore and clear the room," I said.

In the month of May of this present years or nineteen, perfectly pale, unconscious and unless you like. a wandering conjurer happened to be in a almost pulseless - a strange contrast to her Yes; she recovered rapidly; and prettier town in the department of the Nord. Busi- rough, swarthy, weather-beaten bearers. A- and prettier she grew as she got better. She

Behemianlife, Anna listened wonderingly, and not expensively dressed. Her features were heart might be, he was a little affected in lamented the monotony of her own. Mean- exceedingly ragular and pretty, and when the that region. She was evidently very fond of Sea while, the gravedigger continued his lugu- colour was in her face she must have possessed bim, and liked-no one but him to dress the

whom the former agreed to pay 75f. a month. and three of the assistant surgeons lived close mouth, seft, keen gray eyes and a face com-The old father did not count in the affair. to the hospital; but in five minutes the mes- bining intellect and kindness. And so Charles and Anna began the summer | senger returned with the nows that Sir Carver campaign. During the season business pros- had been called to the some aristocratic cele- Adams?" she said. He bowed. She then pered, but when the fair season drew towards brity at the West End, who had met with an produced a paper which gave an account of Che came acquainted with the hardships of Bobe- surgeons with him. The second was out of played in it. mian life. They decided to come to Paris town; and the third, who had been left to act although even the most talented conjurors in emergencies, had been taken suddenly ill. in the hospital? Can I see her?" barely contrive to vegetate here. They ar- We had been discussing the case, and efeminently practical and little scrupulous man, surance which characterizes embryo surgeons. the patient to see the card first, to avoid sent Anna to the Folies-Bergere and Mabille. But matters now become serious. Half an sudden excitement; that is, if the lady's visit Fro Her success was great—so great that a noble hour would suffice to summon one of the were likely to cause excitement?"

to marry her. Anna, weary of her Bohe. thing must be done at once. We all looked lion of france at his disposal, threw over her He simply said: "Begin to give chloroform; "What are you going to do?" we asked. He told us; but I will not inflict any de-

operation contemplated afforded almost the in the Bois, in a carriage with her two worthy only chance of life; and to delay it any longer, Adams said, would be throwing that chance away. It was an operation of the highest difficulty and danger under the pre-[A Lugend of ST. MICHAEL'S HOSPITAL.] sont condition of the parts; and could its per-Every one knows that St. Michael's, as we formance have been anticipated, the theatre "shall take the liberty of calling it, is the would have been crowded with speciators largest and most celebrated of the London from all the hospitals in London. And there hospitals. It is situated quite in the heart | was a young surgeon of 25, called upon at a of the city, and is about equidistant from few minutes notice to undertake what many London Bridge, Westminster, Gower-street, a long-experienced surgeon might hesitate to Smithfield, and Whitechapel. I was a student attempt, for it was impossible to perform it there, and there the happiest days of my life, without additional loss of blood; and it was not at all improbable that the patient might | Saunders,' A large number of the students had gone not survive the operation, to say nothing of

I must beg you to remember, ready, commenced at once. Perfect allence chief lying on the pillow. are esteemed positions of great trust and brilliant operators in England, and of course amusement, where she usually attracted a as stepping stones to professional success, theatre in later years; but I think I never been called away from home to nurse a sick E. v. Deaulier there is very keen competition. On the saw that night's operation supassed either by relative, had allowed her servant to go, as Hei-chong surgical side of the hospital each of the four himself or any one else. A special demand she thought, to visit her parents in the coun- Hermann visiting surgeons had a resident house-sur- sometimes calls forth special powers, and acts try; but the girl, having her wages in her Lucky

at this time, and as he is the hero of my story, for by the marse in charge, Adams, and Sir action. Finding, as she recovered, that she so far as I here a here, I will just say a word Carver Smith, who came in later. Our mis- was being addressed as "Miss Stead," and about him. He was one of those ment but cellaneous entertainment did not come off; that she was the object of much interest we occasionally most with who seem to stand but we scarcely regretted the change of the and attention, it seems to me-judging by head and shoulders among their fellows- programme. In a place where accidents are what experience of human nature on its very quiet and reserved, and when he chose hourly, and operations daily occurrences, one demale side I have since acquired—not very calmuess in all emergencies-I rever say cited more interest among residents and non- of tactics. And, fair readers, do you think him discomposed except once-his mature residents than almost any other case I ever it very contrary to your experience of human Benclutha judgment, and his great kindness, won him saw in the hospital, I wish you to clearly nature on its male side, that an otherwise C. of Halifax the out-patient department, and it was only excite in a mind not proceupied with such though not a mother-in-law. in the absence of the visiting surgeons that | matters as burden the intellect of the average | I really do not know what befel the girl; medical student, the liveliest interest and except that all hor own desire the lady ob- Large tained for her "a situation in the country, Matchless

risits to the wards by and by and by and of course to be interrogated, and when she got a little proved to be a faithful servant. any casualties that might turn up. But better she declined to give any information; I am sorry to have to state that public

Dyed Spotted Shirtings, per piece wad Brocades Shirtings, per pieco..... byod Damask Shirtings, per piece English Drills, 30 yalts, per piese English Drills, 14 that, por proce Access tinkle, tinkle, tinkle" went a small, high- in this hospital inundertaking an operation ungligh Drilla, Li Ibe., per piece discour pitched, imperious bell. It was the accident of such importance. In this case those extray Shirtings, 8 lbs., por piece ceptional circumstances existed. The operaleey Shirtings, 81 lbs., per piece

ful action of a St. Michael's student, my own

this point the case presents no features of " Lost a lot of blood; 'fraid it's a bad case, special interest; convalesence was rapid, and - the patient was discharged cured on the fortygive you fair notice that you may lay down It was a young, fair-haired girl of eighteen this record here and not read any further

ness was not very flourishing. His perform- deep wound in the neck was bleeding pro- talked very little, and said nothing at all to ance in the market-place on the previous fusely; but, on tearing open the dress, I help her indentification. Inquiry was fruit- Brisb evening had not been very productive, and found I could stop the hemorrhage almost less, even though the case got into the news- Chesn papers. The interest umong the students Emu · his brains to find some new tricks. His steps | Adams was there immediately; in a minute | increased daily. It was reported that she Gland brought him to, the cometery. He entered. he knew all about it, and had settled his was an heiress who had quarrelled with her Gravi In one corner, a grey-haired man was metho- course of action. Quietly he said: "Send guardian; that Adams was madly in love disally digging a grave. Near him, sitting for Sir Carver. Take her to the theatre [the with her; that she was waiting for him to on a tombstone, was a young girl of sixteen, operating room at once. Ask the other men propose, and then would marry off-hand; that Kinblonde, elegantly formed, and blue eyed. She to come, and get everything ready for opera- Adams knew all about her, but kept it snug. Mala looked with surprise at the stranger, who tion." And then to me: "Keep up steady And then men get to chaffing him in a mild Mars. came and sat at her side, attracted by and pressure, and don't take your finger away for sort of away, wanting to know the "state of Ment the heart" and the chances of "union by Name folks, whom we will call for the sake of con- Nothing could be found out concerning first intention." But Adams was infpede- Ocean venience Charles and Anna, soon got into con- her. No one was with her when she was traite. Personally, I am inclined to think Palat versation. Charles related his adventurous struck do She was very tastefully though that whatever the condition of his patent's

At last one afternoon I was sitting in wrong, for the conjurer was fascinating the found in her pocket. The former was well Adams's room in a leisure interval, when a girl, and persuading her to accompany him filled and the latter was marked "E. Stead." lady's cardwas brought in. It had a deep black in his peregrinations through the world. Adams said at once that she was a lady. . horder, and horethe inscription Mrs. Stead, She was to be dressed in a beautiful page's I do not know whether in ever happened The Cedars." She wished to see Mr. Adams. Ann costume, and with her beauty and his talent before at St. Michael's that, on the occur- Immediately afterwards the lady was shown Anto the two were to make their fortunes. The rence of a sudden emergency, no one of the in. Adams motioned me to stay. She was Aug same evening an agreement was signed bet- surgical staff was at hand. Strange to say, a fine, tall woman of fifty, dressed in deep Aug ween the conjurer and the girl's mother, to it happened so to-night. Sir Carrer Smith mourning, with bair just turning gray, a firm Ben

a close money became scarce, and Anna be- accident, and had taken one of the assistant our famous case and of the part Adams had. "May I inquire whether this patient is still | Ch Yes, certainly. Would the lady be able rived six weeks ago. Charles, who was an fering advice upon it with all that calm as to identify her? Would it not be better for E

"Have I the pleasure of speaking to Mr.

foreigner fell in love with her and getermined other surgeons; but it was plain that nome- Perhaps it would be better to take up G. & Marie ... Oot. 60 Bubrich the card and say that Mrs. Stead desires to Hotspar Wonderfully calm and self-possessed the

hidy seemed to us, and yet she could not en- Miranda Lirely suppress some signs of emotion or excitement. She said that illness in her family had prevented her from seeing the papers for Nardon . America, where he hopes to find his talents tails upon my readers, but will simply some time, or she would probably have been N. Constants I took the card up and showed it to the

patient. She turned very pale, then buried her face in her pillow and burst into tears. "Shall the lady come up?" I said, Victory | I thought she sobbed out "Yes." The visitor came up. Slowly and calmly she walked up the ward. The news had somehow got about, and several of the men Septima

found that they had business in that part the hospital just then. The lady stood by the had and said softly," Elizabeth." The girl looked up, and their eyes met. One glance at that face was enough "Yes," said the luly; "I can identify her. Kang Ping "It is your daughter?" asked Adams. "It is my cook," said the lady, "Elizabeth

I think I said that I only once saw Adams considerably discomposed, and that was on the present occasion. "I.I thought her name was Stead," he

The lady's eyes followed his, and a slight Mariesmile played on her features. Yes, it was even so. The acute scientific honour, and which are exceedingly valuable have seen Adams himself many times in that good deal of attention, "Her mistress having Emily

geor, and to be Sir Carver Smith's "H. S." almost like an inspiration; and so it seemed pocket, had preferred to remain with an acquaintance in London, where she enjoyed her M. Whitridge Mike," for Sir Carver was, at that time one In a short time it was done, and success. Christmas holidays very much to bee own Peter fully done and the patient was carried away satisfaction, until her accident put a stop-to A man named George Adams held the post to a quiet pard, where she was duly cared her manœuvies, or rather changed her field of Sea Nympho. B. Aymar quite inscrutable. No one knew where he more or less seldom creates much excitement; remarkable that she preferred to keep up the came from. But his very great ability, his and when I go on to say that this case ex- deluvion, golden silence being her main line Alex. Newtone

the respect alike of the students, the nursing understand that this fact was due entirely exceedingly acute roung man should be the F. H. Drews. staff and the surgeons. Ender him were to the extreme professional interest in the subject of a delusion of this particular kind? Jane Woodburn Dec. 3 Dashorough four dressers, junior-men, who assisted in case and the great enthusiasm of St. Michael's The lade spoke very kindly to the girl, and the hospital under his direction. I was one men for the study of surgery. At the same guessing, I fancy, how matters stood, said M. Macleay of thom. Each week, one of us in turn re- time, I may state, although not particularly some very graceful things to Adams. Sub- Mario sided in the hospital, and, as I said, Christman bearing on the question, that the patient was sequently, you will perhaps be glad to hear, Tym week fell to my turn, and that is how I came an uncommonly pretty girl; and day after she proved a very kind friend to him, and S. of the Age to apend Christmas in St. Michael's. Lought day passed by without any light being shed her influence was of no small assistance to Stanfield to add that there were four assistant sur- on the question as to who she was and whence him in his future professional advancement. Westergeous to the hospital, but their care was over she came-circumstances quite sufficient to She became, in fact, quite a mother to him,

Objectumes day is usually precty slack in that of any rate none could be obtained from lier. interest in this case at St. Michael's some respect. It is medical railbor than surgical Perhaps she was a little "quoor", with foveriels what rapidly declined after Mrs. Stead's visit; perhaps because, as the Lancet said, had got an in-honour of the day's little on | At the expiration of two days I went in to | the interesting symptoms had all disappeared. tertainment in an empty wird, for any of thelp with the bressings. She was very grates a But I said then, say now, and always will the hospital immutes who cared to attend and ful for everything done for her, and horobers say, that it was, from all points of view, & a Postenayo I pain very well: For a long time she was in I really good case." -- Chambers' Vournal.

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